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ACTS AND RESOLVES

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Chapter 176.

An Act to incorporate the Peaked Mountain Dam and Improvement Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

Corporators.	SECT. 1.	George E. Grant, Samuel M. Holway and William R. Pattangall, their associates and assigns, are hereby incorporated under the name of the Peaked Mountain Pond Dam and Improvement Company with all powers and privileges of similar corporations.
Corporate name.		
Authorized to build dams, and make improvements.	SECT. 2.	Said corporation is authorized to build dams, side dams, remove rocks, and make all other necessary improvements in the stream of water which connects Peaked Mountain pond with Machias river, said stream lying partly in Township number nineteen, Middle Division, and partly in the town of Northfield in Washington county, and for this purpose the said corporation may take land and material necessary to build such dams and make such improvements ; and may flow contiguous lands so far as necessary to raise suitable heads of water. And if the parties cannot agree on the damages either for lands and materials so taken or for the damage occasioned by flowing land, such damages shall be ascertained and determined by the county commissioners for the county of Washington.
--may take land.		
--damages, how ascertained.		
Tolls established.	SECT. 3.	The said corporation may demand and receive a toll for the passage of logs over said dams and improvements of fifteen cents per thousand feet, board measure, wood scale, for all logs that pass through any dam erected and maintained by them on the said stream. And said corporation shall have a lien upon all logs and lumber which may pass over any of said dams and improvements for the payment of said toll ; but the logs of each particular mark shall be holden only for the toll of such mark ; and unless such toll shall be paid within twenty days after such logs or lumber shall arrive at their destination, said corporation may seize said logs and lumber and sell them at public auction so many and so much thereof as shall be necessary to pay such toll, costs and charges ; notice of time and place of such sale shall be given two weeks before said sale in some newspaper printed in Machias.
--lien on logs, for payment of toll.		
Logs and lumber may be sold at auction.		
Land owners may take, stock.	SECT. 4.	Any or all owners of land from which the logs or other lumber is cut, which passes through or over said

dams or improvements, shall have the right to take an interest in the stock of said corporation in proportion to their interest in said land, by paying their proportions of the cost of building said dams and making said improvements.

SECT. 5. When said corporation shall from tolls, be reimbursed for its expenditures in making said dams and improvements and repairs thereon, and six per cent annual interest thereon, the tolls shall cease.

When tolls shall cease.

SECT. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

Approved March 14, 1895.

Chapter 177.

An Act to amend and extend the charter of the Poland and Minot Water and Electric Light and Power Company, approved March twenty-one, eighteen hundred ninety-one.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

SECT. 1. The name of the Poland and Minot Water and Electric Light and Power Company is hereby changed to the Mechanic Falls Water Company.

Name changed.

SECT. 2. Section two of chapter two hundred and fifty-nine of the private and special laws of eighteen hundred and ninety-one, is hereby amended by striking out the words "at Mechanic Falls in Poland or in Minot" in the second line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'in Mechanic Falls;' by striking out the words "towns of Poland and Minot" in the fourth line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words 'town of Mechanic Falls,' so that said section as amended, shall read as follows :

Sec. 2, ch. 259, Private Laws of 1891, amended.

SECT. 2. The place of business of said corporation shall be in Mechanic Falls, in the county of Androscoggin and state of Maine, and its business shall be confined to the town of Mechanic Falls in said county.'

Place of business.

SECT. 3. Section four of said chapter is hereby amended by inserting the words 'Mechanic Falls' before the word "Minot" in the fourth line thereof.

Sec. 4, amended.

SECT. 4. Section seven of said chapter is hereby amended by inserting the words 'Mechanic Falls' before the word "Poland" in the third line thereof.

Sec. 7, amended.